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Response

Sir:

In response to the official action mailed March 9, 2007 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, Applicants provide the following distinguishing remarks for entry in the above-identified case. Favorable reconsideration of all the pending claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.